



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **KANBE, Katsuhito et al.** Group Art Unit: **2612**

Serial Number: **09/650,759** Examiner: **HO, Tuan V.**

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For: **EXPANSION UNIT, PORTABLE DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS
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Sir:

Applicants respond herein to the May 24, 2004 Office Action.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims appear in the listing of claims that begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.